

Withdrawal/Redaction Sheet

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DOCUMENT NO. AND TYPE	SUBJECT/TITLE	DATE	RESTRICTION
001. email	mbaltuck@hq.nasa.gov to rfisher@eop [partial] (1 page)	1/23/1997	P6/b(6)
002. email	Thomas Fuhrman to JoAnn Ward (partial) (1 page)	2/18/1997	P2, P5, b(6)

COLLECTION:

Clinton Presidential Records
Automated Records Management System [Email]
Default ([National Polar-Orbiting Environmental Satellite System, NPOESS])
OA/Box Number: 1100000

FOLDER TITLE:

[1/23/1997 - 9/5/1997]

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2008-0829-F
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RESTRICTION CODES

Presidential Records Act - [44 U.S.C. 2204(a)]

- P1 National Security Classified Information [(a)(1) of the PRA]
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RECORD TYPE: FEDERAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Thomas A. Fuhrman (CN=Thomas A. Fuhrman/OU=OSTP/O=EOP [OSTP])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 18-FEB-1997 16:25:41.00

SUBJECT: air force representative to NSTC

TO: JoAnn Ward (CN=JoAnn Ward/OU=OSTP/O=EOP @ EOP [OSTP])

READ: UNKNOWN

TEXT:

JoAnn: FYI

----- Forwarded by Thomas A. Fuhrman/OSTP/EOP on 02/18/97
04:25 PM -----

Cathleen A. Campbell

02/10/97 01:13:17 PM

Record Type: Non-Record

To: Thomas A. Fuhrman/OSTP/EOP

cc:

Subject: air force representative to NSTC

[002]

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thanks;
cathy

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001. email	Charlie Murray to Lisa Gaisford [partial] (1 page)	9/15/1998	P6/b(6)
002. email	bakerc@osd.pentagon.mil to Sara Laskin, re NPOESS (2 pages)	9/29/1998	P5
003. email	Charlie Murray to Lisa Gaisford, re: More Trouble on NPOESS (3 pages)	10/13/1998	P5

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[10/27/1997 - 10/13/1998]

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RECORD TYPE: FEDERAL (TRP NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: bakerc (bakerc@osd.pentagon.mil@INET@LNGTWY [UNKNOWN])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 29-SEP-1998 08:35:00.00

SUBJECT: Re: NPOESS

TO: SARAH A. LASKIN (SARAH A. LASKIN@EOP [UNKNOWN])

READ: UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Lisa, the problem is also over here in Air Force and in the Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for C3I. They want to rock the boat with Dr. Baker. I am telling them not to rock the boat until after we have had a chance to look at the program because they could make the political appointees look stupid if they start holding Ex Com meetings and making phone calls to Deputy Secretaries if it turns out that the adjustments make sense in light of DMSP launch schedules and overall Commerce budget constraints. Perhaps you, Sarah, Shannon, Charlie, and I should get together for an hour later this week to compare notes, because there are still some factual discrepancies that need to be settled.

Charlie Baker

-----Original Message-----

From: Lisa_A._Gaisford@omb.eop.gov [mailto:Lisa_A._Gaisford@omb.eop.gov]

Sent: Monday, September 28, 1998 22:26

To: Baker, Charlie, , OUSDC

Cc: Shannon_Stuart@omb.eop.gov; cmurray@doc.gov

Subject: Re: NPOESS

Thank you for the information! I spoke to the Commerce CFO and asked him to help put a stop to this. I also had it out with both Winokur and

Withee. They claim to have had no knowledge of the Commerce cuts which is impossible since Charlie passed back detailed tables with the numbers.

They tried to explain the Excom as necessary to approve the new mods program. I told them that I was not inclined to fund the mods unless they could give us hard cost data.

I also told them that how pissed off I was that they were doing a repeat of last year. Commerce is so far over ceiling, hopefully the Department management will stick to their cuts!

Stay tuned.....

===== ATTACHMENT 1 =====
ATT CREATION TIME/DATE: 0 00:00:00.00

TEXT:

RFC-822-headers:

Received: from conversion.pmdf.eop.gov by PMDF.EOP.GOV (PMDF V5.1-9 #29131)
id <01J2DF9RS134008Y8L@PMDF.EOP.GOV> for Laskin_S@al.eop.gov; Tue,
29 Sep 1998 08:39:38 EDT

Received: from Storm.EOP.GOV by PMDF.EOP.GOV (PMDF V5.1-9 #29131)
with ESMTP id <01J2DF9PPT00DS2N@PMDF.EOP.GOV> for Laskin_S@al.eop.gov; Tue,

29 Sep 1998 08:39:35 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from dddc001.osd.mil ([134.152.184.11])
by STORM.EOP.GOV (PMDF V5.1-12 #29131)
with ESMTP id <01J2DF906S500017KY@STORM.EOP.GOV> for Laskin_S@al.eop.gov; Tue,

29 Sep 1998 08:39:32 -0400 (EDT)
Received: by dddc001 with Internet Mail Service (5.5.2232.9)
id <T54SVZZV>; Tue, 29 Sep 1998 08:28:50 -0400
X-Mailer: Internet Mail Service (5.5.2232.9)

===== END ATTACHMENT 1 =====

RECORD TYPE: FEDERAL (TRP NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Charlie Murray (Charlie Murray@4=BEP@5=OSEC PBE@3=GOV+COMM.BAN@2=ATTMAIL@1=US@MRX@LNGTWY [UNKNOWN])

CREATION DATE/TIME:13-OCT-1998 12:55:00.00

SUBJECT: fwd: re: fwd: re: More Trouble on NPOESS

TO: Lisa A. Gaisford (Lisa A. Gaisford@eop [UNKNOWN])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:
Lisa,

Are there any developments that I ought to know about before I write this one-pager? By the way, I'm in training today and tomorrow. Thanks!

CM

Original Text

From: Mark Brown@Directors@OSEC PBE, on 10/13/98 7:42 AM:

To: Charlie Murray@BEP@OSEC PBE

Please prepare this with a cover memo from Scott to the Secretary through Mallet. Soon. Thanks.

From: W. Scott Gould@Admin@OSEC, on 10/12/98 10:03 PM:

To: Mark Brown@Directors@OSEC PBE

Mark, would you and Charlie write the one-pager requested in the attached e-mail. Thanks for keeping me posted on this one.

From: Robert Mallett@Admin@OSEC, on 10/11/98 2:28 PM:

To: W. Scott Gould@Admin@OSEC

Thanks. Would you please get a one pager on this for the Secretary and me to use in our meeting with Jim baker next week. Thanks.

From: W. Scott Gould@Admin@OSEC, on 10/9/98 6:24 PM:

Here is another e-mail on background.

From: Charlie Murray@BEP@OSEC PBE, on 10/8/98 5:49 PM:

To: W. Scott Gould@Admin@OSEC

Cc: Mark Brown@Directors@OSEC PBE

Mark/Scott:

I agree with Lisa that it might be in our best interests to have Winokur support DOC's request to OMB even if it is matched by DOD in FY 2000 and out. OMB analysts/DOD Office of the Secretary/ and myself agree that the spacecraft and launching segments of the NPOESS program can slip one year.

This slippage (as reflected in our budget request to OMB) still allows NPOESS to continue instrument development on all fronts in FY 2000, which is the primary activity going on in this program in FY 2000.

DOD is projected to need the first NPOESS in February 2009 according to DOD

launch schedules. NOAA is currently showing a need date for the first NPOESS as July 2007, to back up N'. Although NOAA has not officially changed their schedule, they have four afternoon satellites (same orbit) set for launch from December 1999 - July 2007. Even if one fails on launch,

that's two satellites covering 7.5 years of on-orbit life (the third would

cover from July 2007 on out, but would be available as EARLY as FY 2003 for

launch). NOAA assumes a 4-year on-orbit life for each satellite. Once these satellites successfully reach orbit, however, their life usually exceeds 4 years, e.g., NOAA-12 (seven years), NOAA -14 (still operational, but planned for five years).

Bottom line is NOAA has been overly conservative in its POES launch planning, and slipping the NPOESS spacecraft and launching segments one year will do no harm to either program. As such, NOAA should support our budget as it is completely viable. The bigger worry is a large cut to FY 1999 in Conference.

Hope that helps!

CM

From: W. Scott Gould@Admin@OSEC, on 10/8/98 2:05 PM:

Thanks, Lisa. FYI, I heard that the European satellite launch was in jeopardy. Do you have any information on this?

Original Text

From: S=Lisa(u)A.(u)Gaisford/C=US/A=INTERNET/DDA=ID/Lisa(u)A.(u)Gaisf, on
10/8/98 11:11 AM:

This is a quick summary of the latest NPOESS issue.

Apparently, NOAA, recognizing that they are not going to get support from
DOC to restore the funding cuts included in the Secretary's budget is
actively lobbying DOD to push for restoration of the cuts.

NOAA has convinced General Clay, the head of USAF space command, that the
first NPOESS satellite needs to be available to back up the last NOAA
satellite. NOAA's arguments are overly conservative for the readiness date
of this satellite. They are planning to have it available four years in
advance of expected launch. Furthermore, the expected launch is based on
probability curves for having two NOAA satellites in orbit when NOAA's
actual requirements is one satellite in orbit, the second satellite is a
back-up. It is important to note that by this time, the Europeans will
have a satellite in orbit carrying our instruments which can serve as a
back-up.

Charlie is preparing additional details on this for you.

The head of NESDIS is scheduled to meet with Defense this Friday to discuss
having an Excom. I think that NOAA needs to be reigned in and coordinate
with the Department. It appears like they are advocating a position that
runs directly counter to the Department's budget. It may be time to
revisit NOAA's representation on the Excom and change it to you or Mallet.